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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir: Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(c), applicants  
make of record, the following documents, copies of which are  
submitted herewith:

PCT Patent Applications

PCT WO 98/30240, published July 16, 1998.  
PCT WO 98/30241, published July 16, 1998.

OTHER REFERENCES

Press Release from Biogen website ([www.prnewswire.com](http://www.prnewswire.com)), "Biogen Says it Has Halted Several Trials of Anti-CD40 Ligand Monoclonal Antibody", October 21, 1999.

Press Release from Biogen website ([www.prnewswire.com](http://www.prnewswire.com)), "Biogen Says it Has Stopped Ongoing Trials of Anti-CD40 Ligand Monoclonal Antibody", November 2, 1999.

Written Opinion dated October 12, 1998 in PCT/US98/00573 (WO 98/30241).

January 8, 1999 Reply to Written Opinion dated October 12, 1998 in PCT/US98/00573 (WO 98/30241).

Written Opinion dated October 12, 1998 in PCT/US98/23482 (WO 98/30240).

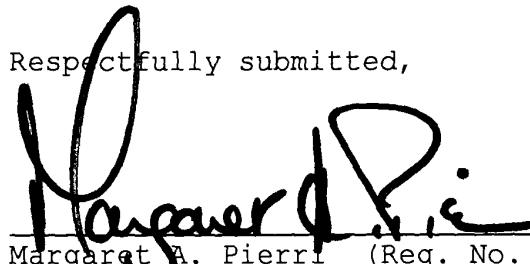
January 8, 1999 Reply to Written Opinion dated October 12, 1998 in PCT/US98/23482 (WO 98/30240).

For the Examiner's convenience, the above-mentioned documents are listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449.

Applicants respectfully request that the above-cited documents be (1) fully considered by the Examiner during the continued examination of this application and (2) printed on any patent issuing from this application. Applicants also request that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449, duly initialed by the Examiner, be forwarded to the undersigned with the next communication.

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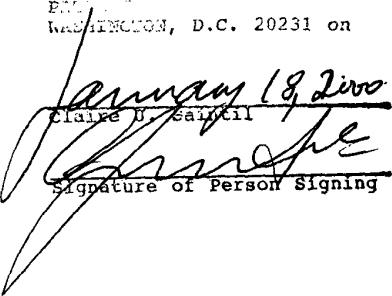
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